



## REISSUE PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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First Named Inventor	JohnB. Taylor
Original Patent Number	5,997,910
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APPLICATION FOR REISSUE OF:  
(check applicable box)☒ Utility Patent☐ Design Patent☐ Plant Patent

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS (37 CFR 1.173)

1. ☒ \* Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/56)  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27
3. ☒ Specification and Claims in a double column copy of patent format (amended, if appropriate)
4. ☐ Drawing(s) (proposed amendments, if appropriate)
5. ☒ Reissue Oath / Declaration (original or copy)  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.175)(PTO/SB/51 or 52)
6. Original U.S. Patent currently assigned?  
☒ Yes ☐ No  
  
(If Yes, check applicable box(es))  
  
☐ Written Consent of all Assignees (PTO/SB/53)  
  
☒ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney  
(PTO/SB/96)

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. ☒ Statement of status/support for all changes to the claims. See 37 CFR 1.173(c)
8. ☐ Original U.S. Patent for surrender  
☐ Ribbonded Original Patent Grant  
☐ Statement of Loss (PTO/SB/55)
9. ☐ Foreign Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119)  
(if applicable)
10. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☒ Copies of IDS Citations
11. ☐ English Translation of Reissue Oath/Declaration  
(if applicable)
12. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
14. ☒ Other: Certificate of Mailing & Check for \$496

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**REISSUE APPLICATION FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM**Docket Number (Optional)  
396542**Claims as Filed - Part 1**

Claims in Patent	For	Number Filed in Reissue Application	(3) Number Extra	Small Entity		Other than a Small Entity	
				Rate	Fee	Rate	Fee
(A) 2	Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(j)) Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(i))	(B) 2	**** 0	X\$9=	0	or	X\$ _____
(C) 2		(D) 2	* 0				X\$42=
Basic Fee (37 CFR 1.16(h))					\$370		\$ _____
Total Filing Fee					\$370	OR	\$ _____

**Claims as Amended - Part 2**

	(1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(2) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(3) Extra Claims Present	Small Entity		Other than a Small Entity	
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Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(j))	*** 14	MINUS	** 20	=0	X\$9=	0	or	X\$ _____
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(i))	*** 6	MINUS	***** 3	=3	X\$42=	126		X\$ _____
Total Additional Fee					\$126		OR	\$ _____

\* If the entry in (D) is less than the entry in (C), Write "0" in column 3.

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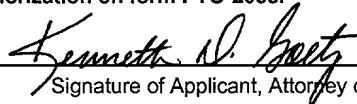
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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 27 CFR 1.27.☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_.  
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.73(b)**

Applicant/Patent Owner: John B. Taylor

Application No./Patent No.: 5,997,910

Filed/Issue Date: December 7, 1999

Entitled: Plant Fertilizer Compositions Containing Phosphonate and Phosphate Salts And Derivatives Thereof

Foliar Nutrients, Inc.

a Corporation

(Name of Assignee)

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<b>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY "EXPRESS MAIL" (37 CFR 1.10)</b> Applicant(s): John B. Taylor			Matter No.  396542
Patent No.  5,997,910	Issued  December 7, 1999	Examiner  Not Yet Assigned	Group Art Unit  Not Yet Assigned
Invention: Plant Fertilizer Compositions Containing Phosphonate And Phosphate Salts And Derivatives Thereof			
<p>I hereby certify that this: Reissue Patent Application Transmittal (2 Pages); Copy of Patent No. 5,997,910 (6 Pages); Reissue Application Preliminary Amendment (8 Pages); Reissue Application Declaration By The Assignee (2 Pages); Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) (1 Page); Information Disclosure Statement By Applicant (4 Pages); Copy of 45 Cited References; Check in the Amount of \$496.00; and this postcard is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 in an envelope addressed to: The Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on this 19th day of October, 2001.</p>			
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